

Czech Republic 5 billion energy storage project





Overview

Is the Czech Republic ready for pumped-storage hydroelectric power plants?

Bulk energy storage is currently dominated by hydroelectric dams, both conventional as well as pumped. There are six localities considered for new pumped-storage hydroelectric power plants in the Czech Republic but public acceptance presents a challenge. Front-of-meter installations in the Czech Republic are mired in regulations.

How many oil storage facilities are there in the Czech Republic?

The Czech Republic has 17 oil product storage facilities, with a total capacity of 1.5 million cubic metres (mcm), and one key crude oil storage facility, with a capacity of 1.675 mcm. The product storage sites are connected by a 1 100 km long pipeline and consist mainly of gasoline and gasoil.

What is the current gas storage capacity of the Czech Republic?

Current capacity is 3.3 bcm and once the ongoing expansion projects are completed in 2022, the country's total storage capacity available will be almost 4 bcm. This is almost half the current annual gas consumption of the Czech Republic, and such a ratio is very high compared to the level of storage capacity in other countries.

How has the energy crisis impacted the Czech Republic?

With coal dominating the energy mix, the Czech Republic has traditionally enjoyed low electricity prices and a steady supply of domestic fuel. However, the recent energy crisis, together with pressure from stakeholders and regulatory bodies to decarbonise, has triggered an unprecedented shift in the country's energy market.

Why is Czech energy-accumulation so expensive?

According the report, the main reason is the regulatory framework biased in favor of classical energy models. The Czech Republic is no exception. It is fair



to say that none of available energy-accumulation technology is perfect yet, and cost-effectiveness can be reached under specific conditions only.

How much does the Czech Republic spend on energy-related RD&D?

Source: IEA (2021). The Czech Republic spent 0.051% of its gross domestic product (GDP) in 2019 on energy-related RD&D, which was just above the IEA median of 0.037% (Figure 6.2). Expressed in absolute spending, the Czech Republic had the twelfth-lowest energy-related RD&D budget in an IEA comparison in 2019. IEA. All rights reserved.



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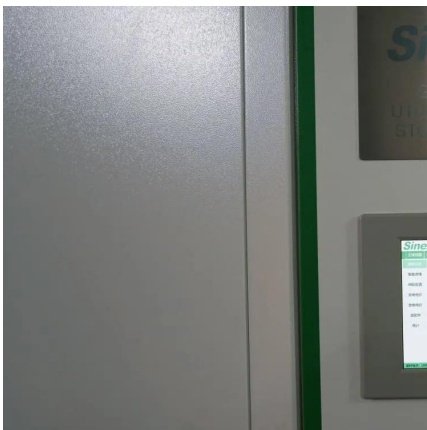
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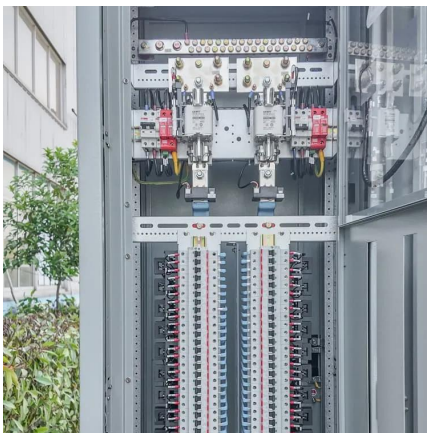
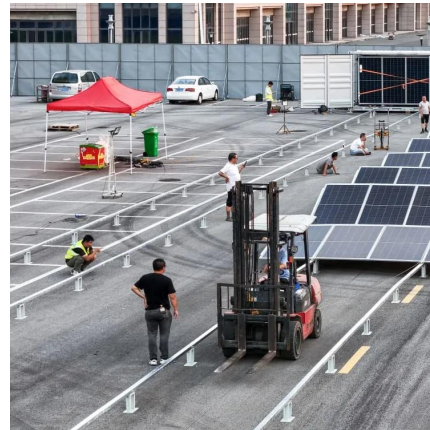




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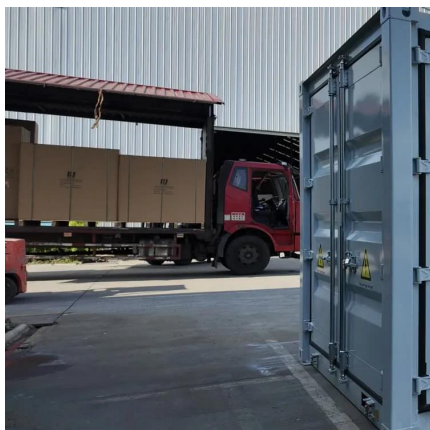
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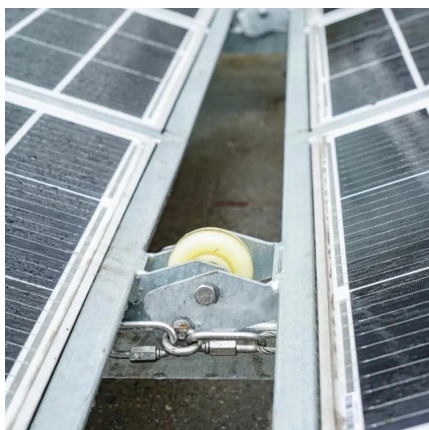
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